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# **RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 16, 2005, and having a shortened statutory period for response running to and including December 16, 2005, Applicants respond as follows: